

Ex-Judge Houston Not Out of Danger
The condition of ex-Judge Houston, of the Louisiana Supreme Court, who was knocked down and robbed of Lafayette place last Thursday morning, is reported as serious by Dr. Kyle, of St. Vincent's Hospital, where the ex-judge is now under treatment. Dr. Conlin said yesterday, according to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, that the condition of the victim made by detectives. Judge Houston attended the ball given by the Original Hounds, at Everett Hall, on East Fourth street, last night. He was accompanied by the company of two ex-convicts and two women. It is believed that this quartet either treated him to a large quantity of liquor or that he was drunk. He was then seized, after robbing him of \$300, and taken into the street and left him.

reading:
"Mrs. Klaus—Will you be so kind as to see that he gets this letter. Bring it to him, but do not let him go into the house alone. The back door is open."
The third letter was addressed to Mrs. Klaus also, and read:
"Dear Mrs. Klaus—I write to you to express my last wish. There is \$125 to be used in the funeral expenses. I want to be buried in Evergreens Cemetery. All the clothes we will need are on the bed. Please see that everything is arranged properly. This is the last wish I can make to you. End our lives with pain green. I don't want us to be dissected by the doctors."

Portoondo Seeks Capital for Cuba
 Senator Rafael Portoondo, Secretary of the Exterior in the Cabinet of President Cisneros, of the Cuban Republic, is here for the purpose of getting money for the support of the cause, and to this end he has been making important territorial concessions for heavy advances from capitalists and syndicates. A banquet in his honor was given by the Cuban Republic at the Hotel de Ville, Sunday evening, and was attended by a select party of noted Cubans.

to get acquainted with and show respect for the surprising country that suddenly threatened war and startled England out of her dream of an alliance of all English-speaking nations. That dream is not ended yet.

JAMESON WILL BE SHIELDED.

England is beginning to prepare for dealing very lightly with Jameson. Every man on these islands knows that had this theatrical and brave buccannering land-grabber succeeded in adding a new dominion to England's slice of the world he

the late had needed to steal money from a Chinaman and Rooney said the laundryman had refused to give him his shirts and had hit him on the hand with an iron bar when he resisted. The others told the same story.

Biliousness

Comes from torpidity of the liver, which prevents digestion and causes food to ferment in the stomach. Perfect relief is found in

Hood's Pills

Which cure all Liver Ills. Price 25c.

Senator George, of Mississippi, who before the reorganization was chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, then began his defence of Secretary Morton, and made one of the most peculiar speeches ever heard in the Senate. He said he wanted to know who was to be the judge of rare seeds, such as the appropriation bill specified, whether it was the Secretary of Agriculture, the Senator from North Dakota or the entire Senate. He said that the Agricultural Department had been buying rare seeds for the past

The League of Political Education is expected to have said was the trouble with the Board of Aldermen that some of the districts are not careful about whom they elect. The result is that many of the Board who are not as honest and as right as could be desired. The Aldermen were asked to resign, but they refused. They were angry over this. Mr. Jerolomon may be called upon to explain the remark.

The Law Committee of the Board of Aldermen has passed a resolution to remove the trees from freeways when they are covered with green glass or signglass. This resolution was introduced by Alderman Hall's committee. The Board of Finance as they now ex-
The Commissioner of Public Works can impose a tax of 75 cents a square foot of glass on the signglass. If they are the
classified as cellars. Alderman Hall's re-
sultion to compel bicycle riders to carry head-
was laid over.